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FM AMCONSUL LUANDA

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INFO AMEMBASSY LISBON

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SUBJ: LUSO-ZAIRIAN RELATIONS

REF: A. LUANDA 691; B. LUBUMBASHI 030

1. RELIABLE SOURCES IN LUANDA, CARMONA AND ZAIRE DISTRICT
ALL CONCUR REPORTS OF KILLINGS OF PORTUGUESE IN ZAIRE HIGHLY
EXAGGERATED IF TRUE AT ALL.

2. JUST RETURNED FROM NOQUI WHERE LOCAL CIVIL, DGS AND MILITARY
SAY AS OF LAST WEEKEND SITUATION FOR LARGE PORTUGUESE COMMERCIAL
COMMUNITY IN MATADI APPEARS TO BE "NORMALIZING." ZAIRIAN
CUSTOMS OFFICER (WHO APPEARED AT DGS POST AT BORDER WHILE I
WAS THERE) SAID HE UNDERSTOOD THAT AFTER "THINKING" ABOUT IT,
MOBUTU HAD DECIDED TO EASE UP ON PORTUGUESE IN MATADIO SINCE
RESTRICTIONS PLACED ON THEM FOLLOWING HIS NOV 30 SPEECH HAD
CREATED SCARCITY OF SEVERAL STAPLES INCLUDING SUGAR AND DRIED
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3. DETAILS BY AIRGRAM.
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